THE WEATHER:

Fair tonight and Sunday; colder tonight; temperature slightly above freezing; fresh northwest winds. Temperature at 8 a. m., 44 degrees.

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SENATE RESTORES HALF-AND-HALF FISCAL

OCEAN FLIGHT **DETAILS BARED**

Irish Leader Landed on Barren Island Through Use of Seaplane.

WELCOMED BY SINN FEIN

British Patrol Vessel Challenged Yacht, But Left Without Making Search.

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—President Eamon De Valera of the Irish Republic used at least two boats and a seaplane to elude the British patrols awaiting him and landed on Mutton Island the night of December 29, it was disclosed today. LANDED ON ISLAND.

The New York American, a Hearst paper, today prints the first story of the manner in which the Irish President was able to depart from this country and reach the west coast of Clare without being captured.

Mutton Island, where de Valera was greeted by friends, lies five miles off the coast of Clare, in western Ireland. There is another Mutton Island in Galway Bay, one and one-half

miles from the coast. HELD UP BY PATROL.

The Irish President had a narrow escape from capture when the yacht on which he made his trans-Atlantic voyage was halted by a British patrol boat. The commanding officer of his yacht, however, was able to satisfy the British officer that his craft was irish Republican headquarters 411

The exact manner of De Valera's departure from American shores is still a mystery. However, the official to whom the Irish president communicated news of his trans-Atlantic journey said no regulations of the United States regarding the departure from this country of persons destined to

Ireland had been violated. WILL ISSUE MANIFESTO. In sending word of his trip Valera said he would issue a manifesto in a few days which would be

of interest to Americans. Commenting on the Republican eader's departure from American hores, his representative here said: the territorial waters of the United States, President DeValera was met, according to a pre-arranged plan, by a yacht. For seven days this eraft sailed across the Atlantic and managed to elude the British ship which had been sent out when English authorities began to suspect De Valera was making his way to Irend. On one occasion the yacht was halted, but the captain was able to convince his questioner, a British land, to be accompanied by a naval naval officer, that the craft was out raid and the landing of troops in Ire-

on a pleasure trip. Two months ago De Valera decided to return and once more became the active head of his government in Ire-Various means of making the journey so that he would not be capured were suggested to him, but it vas finally decided he would make the trip to a point near the Irish coast on a yacht which should come

over from Ireland for him. This craft, it was explained, was fitted out over a year ago to be used Sinn Fein agents on trips between Ireland and other countries. Whether the yacht had ever been used for a trans-Atlantic trip prior to the return of the President could not be learn-

De Valera left the shores of Amer-(Continued on Page 2, Column 2.)

2 BLACK AND TANS TAKEN BY POLICE

Held for Wounding Civilians.

Action May Mean New Policy in Ireland.

Tans were arrested today at Dun- munication between the German govcanway on a charge of wounding a ernment and Sinn Fein leaders wa

Behind the above brief dispatch ay lie a significant change of olley on the part of the British ved virtual immunity in their "iesal" campaign in Irelant.

the threat is to be carried out. or by submarine,

O'CALLAGHAN LEAVES NORFOLK FOR GOTHAM

NORFOLK, Va., Jan. 8.—Daniel O'Callaghan, lord mayor of Cork, left here early today for New York City, where he will address a public meeting next week.

Accompanying him were Peter J. McSwiney, J. W. Fawsitt, counsel for the Republic of Ireland, and Judge Joseph T. Law less, counsel for the lord mayor. The lord mayor is paroled in the custody of Judge Lawless pending a final decision as to whether he can remain in the

United States. He announced he will speak in Boston and Chicago, in addition to appearing before the Committee of One Hundred, at Washington, if he is permitted to remain in this country.

ERIN DISLOYAL

Cabinet Issues "White Book" Purporting to Show Dealings With Enemy During War.

> By WILLIAM L. MALLABAR, International News Service.

LONDON, Jan. 8 .- The British ised "white book" on Ireland, purporting to back up Premier Lloyd George's recent charge that the Sinn Fein had conspired with the Germans in the midst of the war to stab

leader of Dublin, with Count Johann outbreak of the war.

Destruction of the Canadian Pacific railway was urged in a message sent by Wilhelmstrasse to Count von still in bed. Bernstorff and reproduced in the White Paper, One passage in this message which

also deals with sabotage all over the American continent, reads: "Captain Bohem (one of the German ecret agents in New York), carries nstructions for the military attacks The latter can obtain particulars regarding these persons, who are suit able for carrying on sabotage in the United States and Canada:

"Joseph M. Gharrity, Philadelphia. "John P. Keating, Michigan avenue, Chicago.

"Jeremiah O'Leary, 16 Park row New York. "Embassy must not under any circumstances be compromised.' Another document claims to show that Judge Cohalan urged Berlin to undertake an aerial attack on Eng-

This double attack, according to Cohalan's alleged plan, was to coincide with an Irish rebellion. In that event. Cohalan is quoted as saying. Germany would seize the Irish harbors and make them U-boat bases, One of the documents shows that

which might "decide, the war." Count von Bernstorff attached to a prices are effective at once. regarding the sinking of the Lusi-tenia, the following "rider" in code: of all, which has hung fire for many months at \$6.10, finally tumbled 35 message of February 16, 1918, (1915?)

arms to Limerick." Wilhelmstrasse subsequently notifled the ambassador, the documents show, that trawlers would land 20,000 rifles in Trades bay. Berlin re-

quested Bernstorff to be cautious to keep the matter secret and to "arrange for pilots. HAD WIRELESS SYSTEM.

document signed by Devoy says that Bernstorff arranged a wireless eland, and explains where the reelving stations in Ireland were to

signal system between Germany and By this radio system the date of arrival of the munitions-carrying was to be announced. Devoy adds that if necessary a German sub

marine could enter Dublin bay and go direct to Pigeon House, where there were no anti-submarine nets The white paper says that as a result of America's entrance into the LONDON, Jan. 8 .- Two Black and war (in April, 1917) the line of comtemporarily broken, though a mes senger service, devised by Devoy be

tween Irish revolutionists in America and Ireland, was maintained. Among the documents is a message overnment. It is the first time sent by Dr. von Kuchimann, then at the arrest of Black and Tans German foreign minister, to the Gersuch a charge is reported, these man embassy in Madrid, regarding an ixillary troops having hitherto en- assignment to a German agent in Buenos Aires to establish communiexcepted that ruthlessness on the and Argentina, This message also chief of the accounting division of spent of the Black and Tans would dealt with the subject of smuggling the department. He has been serving prosecuted as reien tessiy as arms into Ireland from America and anton crimes by Sinn Feiners, but Argentina, as well as direct from States since last January. His nom-

IS DUE TODAY

Alleged Dynamite Slayer, Sole Witness for Himself, Brands Wife as Liar.

save his life," is expected to send Guy Vernon (Villa) Thompson, Louis by means of a trunk check

On trial for dynamiting the home two children of Hattie Shipley, his The attorneys began their final arguments immediately following the

TESTIFIES FOR HIMSELF. Thompson, sullen as ever, and glaring hatred at his wife as he testified, was his own sole witness. Just as his girl wife's testimony-although

the figurative noose with which State's Attorney Dawson expects to hang him, so "Villa," clenching and ing to remain together unless the to strike out, swore her entire story was a lie; that it was a "frame up" by his wife's family "to get rid of him;" that he went home early the cabinet today issued its long prom-ised "white book" on Ireland, pur-was dynamited; that he never left the house that night, and that he knew nothing of the explosion until told of it by his mother next morning.

SCORES HER FAMILY. Heinrich von Bernstorff, former Ger- I won't even say I'm sorry he's dead. man ambassador to the United States. I ain't. But I didn't kill him. I never in German plots subsequent to the left the house that night. Didn't even know about the dynamiting until my mother came to see me about 9 o'clock the next morning, while I was

'My wife is just plain lying, that's all. She's trying to hang me. But I don't blame her. It's her foiks' fault. through the experience declare. They want to get rid of me. He glared at his sister-in-law, Miss Dora Mulligan, who had testified that she heard him, while lying in the hospital recovering from a bullet wound

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PRICE OF PRODUCT

Highest Grade Tumbles 35 Cents-New Rates Effective at Once.

PITTSBURGH, Pa. Jan. 8 .- Sharp all. cuts in the prices for various grades of crude oil were announced today by

Pennsylvania crude highest priced months at \$6.10, finally tumbled 35 twice a week. "Devoy informs me rising will be- cents today under Standard Oil pricegin in Ireland Easter. Please send making, which sets the pace for all concerns and markets in the United States.

The new and old prices follow: New Old \$5.75 \$6.10 Pennsylvania crude 4.46 Cabell 4.21 Somerset, Somerset, light..... 4.50 2.60 Ragland 2.25 McKinney

Appointee of President Began Service With Department as Bookkeeper.

President Wilson named Guy F Allen as Treasurer of the United feel light. That is the first sensation. States to succeed John Burke, resign. Then the whole body feels light and stolen. ed, the White House announced today. Allen has been in the employ of the Treasury Department since 1901 when he entered the service as a One frequently meets one's relatives bookkeeper at \$660 per year. He was cations with Ireland and co-operate promoted through the various grades The government has repeatedly with Sinn Feiners in the United States of clerkship and in 1914 was made the jag. as Assistant Treasurer of the United the first tangible evidence Germany either by the raider Moewe ination will be sent to the Senate to-

'Stolen Wife'' Jailed With Affinity; He Says Hubby Financed Flight

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 8 .- Pierre Paul Auther, seff-styled Spanish grandee who, at the point of a pistol is alleged to have Moose Factory Clerk Reaches stolen the wife of Phillip Franzen, of Madison, Wis., is in jail here today. Mrs. Franzen, his "love bride," is in an adjoining

The errant pair, in the custody to of officers, probably will start back llaw parts us," Author declared of officers, probably will start back llaw parts us," Author declared of the country to the coun The tale of a girl-wife who said to Chicago today to face Mrs. Auther she loved her husband, "but not and Franzen. A warrant charging ture plans. enough to swear to a lie, even to larceny has been sworn out by

Chicago hotel. A newspaper correspondent recognized them. of James Bolton, killing him and the lenged by him as to their identity, they admitted it. Having the numhousekeeper, Thompson is expected her of the trunk check, the newsto know his fate late this afternoon. paperman traced it from the Chicago hotel to a St. Louis train, found the trunk in a depot here, and ocated Auther and Mrs. Franzen in

> DENY FRANZEN'S STORY. Both Auther and Mrs. Franzen de-

nied the melodramatic version of is now only twenty-one years old—is display a pistol or make any thre the Franzen home for this purpose. against Franzen. "We love each other and are go-

"If the law parts us we will aght it out until we are together again and then live happily ever after." Between fervent kisses at the pocharged with triple murder, to the after they had hastily fled from a lice station here the couple recited their story.

"We first thought our love was hopeless," Auther said, "but then we thought we would get as much out of it as possible. From that time on we met as frequently as we could in Chicago, Milwaukee, and Racine. Our love grew and grew, and we determined finally we could not live apart any longer.

BOTH IN SAME BOAT.

nally decided the best thing to do their flight which was recited by was to put the matter up to Mr. Fran-Franzen. Auther, they said, did not zen. Last Tuesday night I went to zen. Last Tuesday night I went to atives and friends. the same as that of Mrs. Franzen I

D. C. Turns to "Spirit Jags;" Journey Starts With Glad "Hoo-Hoo"

yacht, however, was able to satisfy the British officer that his craft was merely out on a pleasure trip, and as a result the boat was not searched.

Certain details of the trip cannot be disclosed, an official representative of the Republican government said.

This official, a man close to de Valera, received the news concerning the story of the Irish President's trip at 100 months. The professor Moneil, Sinn Fein stand is a lie. I never threatened story of the Irish President's trip at 11 leader of Dublin, with Count Johann Bolton. I didn't like him, it's true.

SCORES HER FAMILY.

"I married my wife when she was fine years old," he told the jury. He himself is forty. "I loved her. She loved me. We had a regular love in sixty pages of documents detailing to said Bradbury, "and after overcaming his fright—for the himself is forty. "I loved her. She loved me. We had a regular love in sixty pages of documents detailing the himself is forty. "I loved her. She loved me. We had a regular love in sixty pages of documents detailing the himself is forty. "I loved her. She loved me. We had a regular love in sixty pages of documents detailing the himself is forty. "I loved her. She loved me. We had a regular love in sixty pages of documents detailing the himself is forty. "I loved her. She loved me. We had a regular love in sixty pages of documents detailing the himself is forty. "I loved her. She loved me. We had a regular love in sixty pages of documents detailing the himself is forty. "I loved her. She loved me. We had a regular love in sixty pages of documents detailing the himself is forty. "I loved her. She loved me. I don't know why. Sh

and is wafted off into the care-free fields of Elysian delight. As th spirit floats through space.

in very much the same way that light a very high state of spiritual developfeet used to carry the devoace of ment to be able to go on a spirit jag. John Barleycorn down the principal thoroughfares, it is not uncommon to have reached its height. meet up with the spirit of Homer, Dante and many other of the dear departed, those who have been

OFF ON A SPIRIT JAG.

Washington medium this was seen nont converse with the spirit of Homto happen by some of the devotees er or Julius Ceasur.
of this latest fad in the psychic world. "When one goes on a jag, he floats

on a spirit jag.

It takes a lot of practice to get is what counts in the spirit world. that way. One must attend the "The slightest jar will bring one "developing circle" classes of a back to the land of reality and end medium, and in addition take daily the jag. Turning on the lights in a exercises prescribed. "Soul de- darkened room where a seance is bevelopment" is the idea back of it ing held will most certainly

sary these days. One clairvoyant,

HERE'S HOW IT'S DONE. The exercise prescribed by one of

If you care to go on a spirit jag. you might learn it, but be sure you follow all the direction. the hands over the head slowly with the palms upward. Give yourself completely up to it.. It is necessary

to take this exercise daily." Remarkable results are said to be obtained from this formula. Grayish louds appear. Then a hand is thrust out, perhaps a face. One has a light and airy feeling. Then you know you are in the spirit world, and if the jag has taken full effect, perhaps the spirits will be good to you and you will hear "spirit whispers." Mrs. Jane B. Coats, one of the

leading psychics in Washington, has this to say on the subject: "I have been on spirit jags. man does.

"I am in a position to describe how airy, and as the spirit steps out of the body, one has the delightful sensation of being entirely free and unburdened of the cares of this world and is able to converse with them on "This is a most serious phase of the

Why Didn't She Sing "Zanaf" Tan talining Mystery of the Millionaire's Temperamental Prima Donna Bride!

as we call it. Soul development mus "In the spirit world these are planes, and we have the different strata of society just as in this world. Everybody is not in the position to talk to the President of the United States. So At a seance in the lecture rooms of in the spirit world, everybody can-

dark. A circle of both men and socially, mentally, and spiritually fitwomen was formed, holding hands. ted. If one be a devotee of jazz, he is apt to land in a jazzy dance hall er of the room.

of the spirit world. A devil in real
The spirit of a man stepped out of life will find himself in darkness is body. As he floated toward the when he reaches the spirit world. medium, he said. "Hoo-hoo," and But there are no devils, are there? waved his hand in a friendly way. If the devotee of the jazz is on a high His spirit was seen to meit through mental and spiritual plane, he will be the wall. He was gone. He was off wafted off into the society of the choice spirits of the ages. Mentality

HOO! HOO! SAID SPIRIT. In fact the exercises prescribed "I once saw the spirit of a man by the medium for the spirit jag leaving its body. I was conducting a are bidding to outdo the prescrip seance in my lecture rooms and th Joseph Seep Agency, purchasers for tions of a physician, which the tired lights were out. It was the man's the Standard Oil Company. New business man is wont to find neces- spirit that waved a hand and said 'Hon-hoo!' as it departed. At the end alone, has as many as seventy-five of the seance I ordered the lights on members in her class, which meets again. The man said, 'Ah, why did you turn the lights on so soon? I was out of my body having a delightful time in the spirit world. Mrs. Coates conducts lectures at her the leading physics is as follows: home, 170; Kilbourne street north-

west weekly. She has classes on "soul development" twice a week. Many of the most prominent business "Sit alone and relax. Put the men and women of social position are feet flat on the floor.. Then raise members. She says: members. She says: "I am serious about my work. must be convinced that all applicants

for membership in my classes are serious in pursuing the studies of the spirit world before I admit them to membership. Many of the other leading clairvoyants and mediums in Washington are conducting similar classes in the

latest fad of spiritualistic devotees.

FAITHFUL DOG CLUE TO CANDY STORE ROBBERS

GRANTSVILLE, Md., Jan. police expect to solve the robbery of the company's office. Two hundred it feels to be on a spirit jag. The feet dollars in Liberty bonds, \$50 in War defend the suit and the judge ordered Savings stamps and \$2 in cash were sidents say they saw the dog in

the rear of the building, and he was still there when Manager Housman appeared. When the door was opened he darted into the building. As a result, the police are holding the a Croatian republic, according to a dog until his master can give a good Central News dispatch from Rome toaccount of his whereabouts during the night

Surprising New Light on the Real Churacter of Job, the Famous Old Testament Hero, in Tomorrow's

MOSS AS FOOD SAVED AIRMEN

Montreal With First-Hand Story of Fliers' Rescue.

MONTREAL, Quebec, Jan. 8.— More news of the hardships and the rescue of the three United States army balloonists who descended on the shores of James Bay after an 800-mile trip from Long Island, was brought here by S. A. Bradbury, who arrived from the Hudson Bay Company's post at Moose Factory. LEFT POST DECEMBER 28.

Mr. Bradbury said he left the post at Moose Factory, where he is a clerk of the company, the day after the arrival of the three balloonists, December 28, and that being accustomed to travel in virgin territory he was able to make good speed to Mattice. "We talked the matter over and fi- on the Transcontinental, and from there on to this city, where he is re malning for a short sojourn with rei-Bradbury was positive that there i

no chance of the three officers reaching their destination at Rockaway Beach, Long Island, until next Taursday, Jan. 13, at the earliest. three balloonists, he says, are suffering from their exhausting experlences ohysical fatigue, hunger, loss of sleep and general bewilderment. Since reaching Moose Facory they have been in charge of officials of the company, who are givneighbor the company, who are giv-ing them a much-needed rest. Bradbury said he met the three ballonnists shortly after their ar-rival within the territory of the

first of all to converse with him in English, then in French and finally Lieut, L. A. Kloor, who was the spokesman of the party and who had managed to coutrun the Indian, conrest and sleep that they wanted and a return to something approaching

civilization. INDIAN GAVE FIRST AID.

The Indian, when convinced of the friendly intentions of the strange men, decided that the only thing to do was to bring them to the Hudson Bay post at Moose Factory. He brought The lights were out and the room was off into the realm for which he is them first of all, however, to his own home on the outskirts of the post domain, where their wild appearance almost sent his squaw into a panic (Continued on Page 2, Column 4.)

CHOCOLATE DROP MAKES HIM ELOPE

Plaintiff in Divorce Suit Says the term Debs was to serve form an nues. He Ate It and Remembers Nothing.

CHICAGO, Jan. 8 .- Edward Ryan, according to his own testimony, which brought about an annulment of his marriage to Miss Thelma Jessweirn, should not venture far from his mother's care. He might be and the results are too pitiful to con-

"Eddie," as he was frequently alluded to in the court, testified that his downfall was due to a designing woman and a chocolate drop. The de signing woman, Miss Jessweirn, is but eventeen, but "Eddie" says she is wise beyond her years.

He testified that he met her while strolling in front of his mother's residence. She smiled and he smiled and they opened conversation. Then she shared with him some candy she was eating. He remembered eating but one choc-

olate drop, and the next thing he knew he was on a train going to Crown Point, Ind., that well-known haven of elopers. She led him to the county clerk's office, where they secured a license and then across the street, where they were married. Then he fell asleep again, but re know the feeling, although I must Through a dog, which waited all members her awaking him as the say I do not take the venture for the night behind the Fayette City Candy train was returning to Englewood same reason that the tired business Company's store for his master, the She took him home and left him and he slept for a week. Miss Jessweirn did not appear to

CROATS START REPUBLIC.

the marriage annulled.

LONDON, Jan. 8 .- The population of the Island of Veglia, in the Adriatic sen, has revolted and proclaimed day. Three soldiers were killed in fighting following the proclamation.

Sweet-faced Girl Burgiar ed Accomplices Loot the House! See mate Secrets of Studie Life, Begin

Orphan's Cake Is Wine-Soaked

Seven Little McCully Waifs To Be Given Royal Feast.

GREENVILLE, S. C., Jan. 8.—A fruit cake soaked in wine for twenty years will be taken from its sealed container and placed on the festal board around which Rear Admiral Newton A. McCully and the seven Russian orphans, whom he has brought to the United States for adoption, will assemble, when they arrive at the McCull"s home

Mrs. Carrie Frewell McCully said today that she had saved her Christmas cakes awaiting the ar-rival of her son and the little foreign waifs, who will be reared and educated here.

The beautiful colonial home looked last night for all the world like the "house of a thousand candles" as the illuminated chandeliers cast their softened glow through the frosted window panes. The whole household buzzed with excitement

Mother McCully, her sister, children and grandchildren, were as busy as live bees preparing for the reception of the gallant naval officer absent for seven years, and whose homecoming is made doubly impressive by the accompanying arrival of the seven Russian chil-dren, who are to become members of the happy McCully family. Miss Vina Norwood Patrick, niece of Admiral McCully, young, beauti-

ful and of a charming personality, said nothing would please her more than to assume the responsibility with her uncle of raising and helping to educate the children.
"I feel now like I would be willing to devote almost the rest of my life to the welfare of this happy

little circle," she said.

Admiral McCully is a bachelor and hasn't had the training, nor will he have the time to devote to ing his first leave from the nave in seven years.

Parole for Noted Socialist Will Probably Be Granted Before March 4.

Eugene Debs, Socialist, now in espionage act, probably will be reeased by President Wilson before he rate of not less than one and one-half per cent. leaves the White House March 4. President Wilson is not expected to pardon Debs, but may release him reported, carries \$22,017,163. in the near future under an order

of his sentence. pardon division of the Department of devoted to school improvements, The Debs case record is a parks, bridges, etc. duct rating and other factors which, and exclusive of the item to be paid have reduced a considerable part of for out of the District surplus reveimportant part the record.

Pardon Attorney Turner today arranged to submit the papers in the senate case of Attorney General Palmer, who over the House bill are the following: will have the case under advisement General expenses for the Public Lifor several days.

Attorney General Palmer, it is said, may decline to recommend a full laneous expenses, \$10,000; improve-pardon for Debs. Debs' supporters ments and repairs, \$12,500; for the have urged the Attorney General and now pressing their pleas, that induced to drink a chocolate sundae Debs be pardoned outright and his civil rights be completely restored.

BOLSHEVIKI BREAK UP

ommunist activity to break up legislative gatherings in various parts circle, Georgia avenue and Elder of Germany has been under way for street, \$200,000. forty-eight hours. When the Bremen Senate assembled

the Communists brought hundreds of children into the hall and compelled them to sing revolutionary songs. The agitators demanded the surrender of the senators, The Communists at Bremen also

People's party. Communists broke up the first session of the Saxony Assembly at Dresden.

There was a violent demonstration when Communists attempted to interrupt the Berlin town council meeting.

WOMAN OF 40, WITH 19 CHILDREN, SETS RECORD NEW YORK, Jan. 8. With nine-

teen children, all slive and healthy, Mrs. Catherine Abrams believes she holds a record in the anti-race-sutcide handicap. Although her latest child, Evelyn, was both January 2, Mrs. Abrams, who is torry is to and doing cooking for her broad.

Artists' Model Who Inspired Thon Chloroforms Bables While Her Wick- sands of Masterpleces Levenis Inti-

Restores Many Items to Apprepriations, Frees Surplus for Emergency Use.

HOUSE ACTION IS UPSET

Measure Now Carries Over \$22,000,000—Provides Tax for Revenue.

The Senate today threw down the gauntlet to the House and restored the half-and-half fiscal plan to the District of Columbia appropriation

Under the half-and-half plan the Federal and District Governments share on a 50-50 basis the expenses of the National Capital. Striking out from the House bill

the entire substance providing for the 60-40 plan for raising District revenues, the Senate not only restores the half-and-half plan, but goes further in providing a measure by which the fiscal balance between the Federal and District governments shall be maintained on a permanent basis. COMES FROM COMMITTEE.

The bill was presented to the Senate Appropriations Committee, which made a brief consideration of the reort of the bill as framed by the District subcommittee, Senator Curtis chairman. The Senate bill provides that wher

ban 50 per cent of the current District appropriation, the surplus may be credited to the District, in calculating the taxation rate "in the succeeding year or years." Similarly, whenever the District revenues fall short of the 50 per cent

mark, the deficit must be made up succeeding year or years." Af the present time the District of Columbia has a considerable surplus in the Federal Treasury, which cannot be used without special legislation. The new Senate provision automatically places this surplus to the credit of the District of Columbia, to be used for District appropriations

thenever Congress so determines. REALTY TAXATION.

The Senate bill also provides that rison at the Federal penintentiary District revenues are to be raised by at Atlanta for violating the war-time the imposition of taxation on realty and tangible personal property at a

The District appropriation bill, as The measure carries \$2,276,500 as or a commutation of the remainder an "increase recommended for emergency items to be paid one-half from The record in the Debs case was the surplus revenues of the District made virtually complete today by the of Columbia." This surplus is to be

bulky file, including a favorable review by the Atlanta warden of Debs' House carried \$19,807,012, and there
good conduct since becoming an inis a slight decrease of \$66,349 in the
mate of the prison. Debs' good conbill proper as reported to the Senate.

INCREASES URGED.

The increases recommended by the Appropriations Committee brary, \$100; contingent and miscellaneous expenses, \$10,000; improvepacking commission, \$10,000; for the public schools, excluding the amount for new construction, \$44.580; for the police, \$8,340; for the policemen's and fremen's relief fund, \$68,410; for the Health Department, \$14.100; for the Juvenile Court, \$3,800; for charlties and corrections, \$113,700, includ-MEETINGS IN GERMANY, ing \$60,000 for the Hospital for the Meeting Insane; for the water service, includ-BERLIN, Jan. S .- A campaign of ing \$150,000 for the construction of a

The decreases follow General expenses, \$8,900; contingent, and miscellaneous expenses, including a cut of \$16,000 for Court of Appeals Building, \$21,000; improvements and repairs, \$158,340; schools, \$263,000; sewers, \$4,000 fire department, \$3,000; courts and prevented a meeting of the German prisons, \$25,000; medical charities, \$44,000;

Anacostia river and flats, \$25,000. The Senate Committee provides that the emergency appropriation of \$2,276,500 to be paid for from the Hatrict surplus revenues is to go for the construction of "school buildngs, building for office of the reorder of deeds, municipal stables, storehouses, and asphalt plant, playgrounds, street lighting, Nurses at Tuberculosis Hospital. parks, sites for feeble-minded inindustrial

TEXT OF BILL.

The following is the text bill providing for the surplus revenues: "That 50 per cent of the following

sums, respectively, is appropirated out of any money in the Treasury. not otherwise appropriated, and 50

stitution, and

school,"